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## Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing

2000 hours, March 12, 2021



Ventura County Fire Department on 03/11/2021 at Simi Valley.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



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24 Hour STAC Report

Report Attached

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

### Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

### **Situation Overview**

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 08/06/20, in close coordination with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Department of State lifted the Global Level 4 Health Advisory. The Global Advisory, initially put in place on 03/19/20, advised U.S. citizens to avoid all international travel due to the global impact of COVID-19. For more information visit: <https://www.state.gov/>.

- **State Executive Order N-33-20**

On 08/28/20, California introduced a blueprint for reducing COVID-19 in the state with revised criteria for loosening and tightening restrictions on activities by counties. Visit [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#) for more information and to check the status of a county. This blueprint included a health equity metric to be used along with other metrics to determine a county's tier. The purpose of [Equity Metric](#) is to ensure California reopens its economy safely by reducing disease transmission in all communities.

- **CDPH Statewide Travel Advisory**

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) has issued a new Travel Advisory superseding the 11/13/20 guidance. Californians should avoid non-essential travel to any part of California more than 120 miles from one's place of residence, or to other states or countries. Non-essential travelers from other states or countries are strongly discouraged from entering California, and if they do, should adhere to quarantine procedures. All persons arriving in or returning to California from other states or countries should self-quarantine for 10 days after arrival, except as necessary to meet urgent critical healthcare staffing needs or engage in emergency response.

<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/Travel-Advisory.aspx>



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) (Continued)**

### **Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 03/12/21 at 1100 hours:**

- 119,355,696 (+439,291) total confirmed cases in 219 countries and territories
- 2,645,452 (+9,037) total deaths

### **Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 03/12/21 at 1000 hours:**

- 29,113,651 (+60,789) total confirmed cases
- 529,301 (+1,575) total deaths

### **Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 03/12/21 at 1100 hours:**

- 3,520,333 (+3,471) total confirmed cases

### **COVID-19 Vaccines Administered – Per Vaccine Task Force as of 03/11/21 at 2359 hours:**

- 11,169,839 (+181,538) vaccines administered

### **Cal OES/ FEMA Vaccination Sites and Mobile Vaccination Clinics (MVCs):**

- Oakland Arena Vaccination Site
- Oakland Mobile Vaccination Clinic 1 and 2
- California State University – Los Angeles Vaccination Site
- Los Angeles Mobile Vaccination Clinic 1 and 2
  
- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION**

- Nothing significant to report.

## **Cal OES COASTAL REGION**

### **American Challenger, Southwest of Bodega Bay, Marin County**

The California State Warning Center was advised of two vessels disabled Southwest of Bodega Bay, Marin County. This occurred during a tow transport from Seattle to the San Francisco Bay. A tugboat (Hunter) was towing when the line failed, the tugboat is safely anchored in Sausalito at this time, the Fishing Vessel (American Challenger – approximately 7,000 Gallons of Diesel Fuel, Motor Oil and Lube Oil on board). The United States Coast Guard is on scene monitoring at this time. The fishing vessel has run aground on 03/06/21 at 0100 hours, and is carrying approximately 7,000 Gal(s) of diesel. Cal OES Marine and the California State Warning Center are monitoring the situation.

### **Per Cal OES Maritime:**

- American Challenger – had no crew onboard, what is called a dead tow.
- Hunter – crew stayed onboard and dropped anchor.
- Due to on-scene weather, salvage operations were delayed due to unsafe conditions. Operations will continue as weather permits.



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES COASTAL REGION (Continued)**

### **American Challenger, Southwest of Bodega Bay, Marin County (Continued)**

#### **Per US Coast Guard:**

- An investigation is underway to determine the amount of fuel aboard the American Challenger.
- The fishing vessel ran aground onto rocks just north of Dillon Beach (LAT 38 01.93 N LONG 122 59.98 W) at 0100 hours.
- Vessel was not occupied and no reports of injury.
- An overflight of the vessel on 03/07/21 reported a light sheen in the immediate vicinity of the vessel.
- A Unified Command between the U.S. Coast Guard, OSPR, Marin County Sheriff's Office of Emergency Services, and NOAA's Greater Farallones National Marine Sanctuary has been established.
  - Coordinating with State Parks Marin County to make notifications to the local populace that boat ramps are closed in the area.
- There have been no confirmed reports of oiled wildlife.
- There are no impacts to commercial traffic or scheduled marine events at this time.
- An environmental unit is assessing protection strategies for sensitive sites in the area.
  - Containment boom operations on going within Tomales Bay.
  - USCG is broadcasting a Safety Marine Information Bulletin (SMIB) to inform the public of protection operations in Tomales Bay.
  - Miller Boat Launch is currently closed to the public by Marin County Parks to support deployment of containment boom and protection of sensitive sites.
- No injuries to responders have been reported.
- Salvage crews are assessing the vessel American Challenger with drones and developing a plan to assess damage and quantify petroleum potential on the vessel.
- No state assistance needed at this time.
- [Demobilization continues from a Unified Command to Marin County](#)

### **Railroad Derailment, San Leandro, Alameda County, SPILL: 21-1343**

[On 03/12/2021 at 0308 hours, Union Pacific Railroad notified the California State Warning Center \(CSWC\) that a single railcar derailed in the upright position at a customer facility.](#)

- [No hazmat release](#)
- [No injury to crew or personnel](#)
- [CSWC personnel made all notifications per SOP](#)

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

### Bond Fire Debris Flow, Silverado Canyon, Orange County

On 03/10/21 at 0835 hours, the Warning Center was notified via social media monitoring tools of a mudslide in Silverado Canyon, Orange County within close proximity to the Bond Fire Burn Scar. The California State Warning Center will continue to closely monitor and coordinate updates from Cal OES Duty Officers, State and Local Partners.

Unified Command has been established between Orange County Public Works, the Orange County Fire Authority, and the Orange County Sheriff's Department. Orange County Fire Authority Dozers and Orange County Public Works Dozers clearing roads. Six (6) homes been identified that have mud in the interior of the home, Orange County has reached out to their local COAD for potential muck out opportunities after evacuation orders are lifted. A team of 4 building inspectors are currently on scene assessing damage.

### **Activations**

- The Orange County and Operational Area EOC has activated to a level 2 for the response to the Bond Fire Debris Flow in Silverado Canyon
  - Orange County Emergency Operations Center [deactivated on 03/12/2021 at 1600 hours](#)

### **Deployments**

- Cal OES Southern Region Assistant Regional Administrator has demobilized
- Cal OES Fire Branch Assistant Chief has demobilized

### **Evacuations**

- All evacuation orders reduced to advisory. Residents, with proper identification will be allowed access.
  - [Evacuations planned to be lifted at 1600 hours unless conditions change.](#)
  - [Approx. 2,000 individuals under evacuation warning.](#)

### **Road Closures**

- Silverado Canyon Road closed at Santiago Canyon Road
- Williams Canyon Road closed at Santiago Canyon Road
- Modjeska Canyon Road Closed at Santiago Canyon Road
- Modjeska Grade closed at Santiago Canyon Road
- [All road closures are planned to be lifted at 1600 hours unless conditions change.](#)
- See map for detailed depictions of the evacuated areas- [www.ocsheriff.gov/bondfire](http://www.ocsheriff.gov/bondfire)

### **Shelters**

- Non-Congregate
  - Orange County
    - 1 [Hotel](#), 13 Rooms, 26 Residents (fearful of current rain impacts)

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)**

### **Bond Fire Debris Flow, Silverado Canyon, Orange County (Continued)**

#### **Evacuation Center**

- Temporary Evacuation Point (TEP) located at El Modena High School, 3920 East St. Orange, CA
  - TEP is now closed and American Red Cross (ARC) is operating virtually

#### **Animal Shelters**

- Large animal can be taken to the Anaheim Equestrian Center (owners must provide 100% care)

#### **PER Orange County:**

- Bond Fire Burn Scar impacted
- 4 mudslides (3 minor slides) 1 larger slide at 28832 Silverado, 100-150 cubic meters of mud blocking the road
- All roads are passable, however motorists should use caution as Public Works crews are still working in the area.
- This area experienced minor slides in January
- 1,500 Sandbags at fire station 15; 1,000 sandbags at the ICP
- Orange County Public Works advised that the Silverado should be reopened by 2200 hours
- Debris has been piled on sides of roadway to dry out and they have an approx. 2-3 day cleanup process ahead of them
- Orange County is sending out building inspectors to verify damage for at least 16 homes
  - 4 homes have been yellow tagged.
- Staffing will continue through the night with equipment on standby

#### **National Weather Service:**

- Showers are reported in burn scar area.
  - Expected duration one hour with a rainfall rate at .03 inch per hour.
- Additional showers may continue through midnight 03/12/2021.
- Flood Advisory issued for burn scar area through 03/12/2021 at 1700 hours.

#### **Additional Resources**

- The EOC Liaison desk is available to answer questions and provide assistance at (714) 628-7060 or at [EOCLiaison@ocsd.org](mailto:EOCLiaison@ocsd.org)
- The EOC Public Information Hotline is live at (714) 628-7085



# PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status		
PG&E	SCE	SDG&E
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

## Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

## Southern California Edison (SCE)

- Nothing significant to report.

## San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.



## FIRE ACTIVITY

### Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

**Note:** The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

#### **Cal OES Fire Missions**

**2019-FIRE-402:** California National Guard (CNG) personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.

- 5 CNG 20-person Hand Crews to support CAL FIRE (to include all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials).
- 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
- Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

## Lifeline Route Closures

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

### Lifeline Routes:

- Nothing significant to report.

### Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

### Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

### Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

### Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current Hwy. conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current Hwy. conditions.



# CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

## California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolation

- None reported

### Service Interruptions

- None reported

# **WEATHER OF CONCERN**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Sunday will see another round of precipitation with light rains in the valley and snow in the foothills and mountains.
  - Expect travel impacts due to snow accumulation of several inches to about half a foot.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- A cold pacific storm will likely bring periods of rain, low elevation snow, and cool temperatures to the region through Friday.
  - Rainfall amounts are generally expected to range between 0.50 and 1.00 inches with local totals up to 1.50 inches possible in the foothills and mountains.
  - Potential impacts from this upcoming storm include travel delays, roadway flooding, and possible minor debris flows in the recent Los Angeles County burn areas, most notably for Apple, El Dorado, and Snow Burn Scars.

**Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**03/12/21 - 03/18/21**

## **Friday-Thursday**

- Periods of rain and mountain snow showers continue across mainly southern California and the central and southern Sierra today, quickly decreasing tonight
  - Snow levels remain rather low, generally either side of 3,000 feet
  - A few thunderstorms also expected across southern California with brief heavier rainfall rates, though the threat for burn scar run-off flooding is much lower than the past few days
  - Some small hail is again possible with any thunderstorms today
- Next round of precipitation arrives over northern and central California Sunday and Monday, with some lighter precipitation also possible over southern California on Monday.





# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

03/12/21 - 03/18/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>							
<b>Snow</b>	Southern/ Inland		Inland	Inland			
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Southern						
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
<b>Heat Risk</b>							
<b>Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



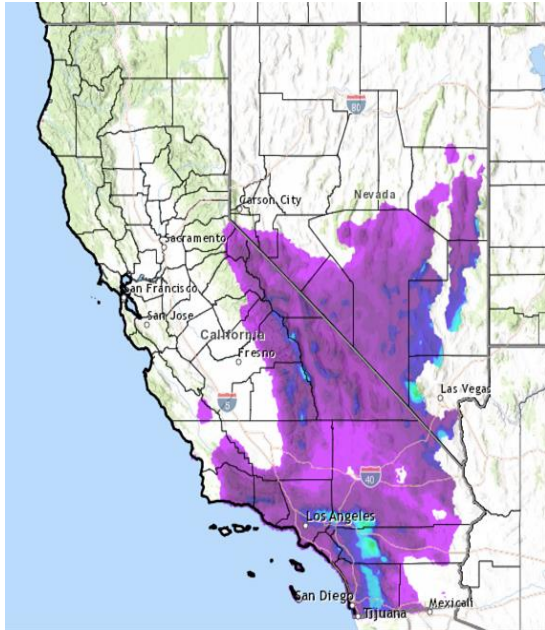
Moderate Impacts



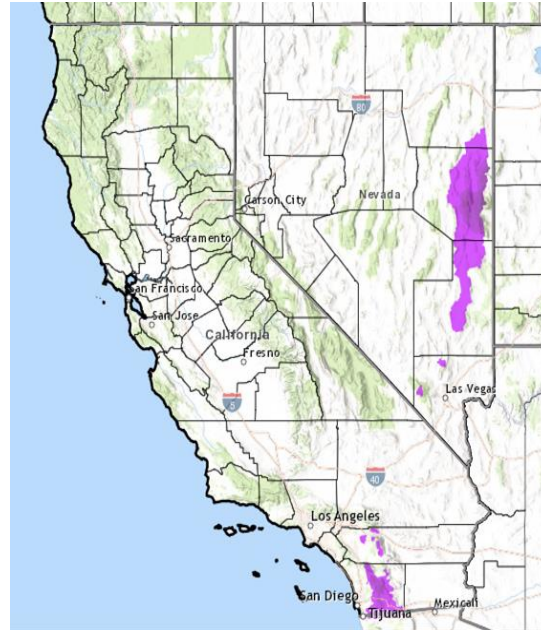
Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

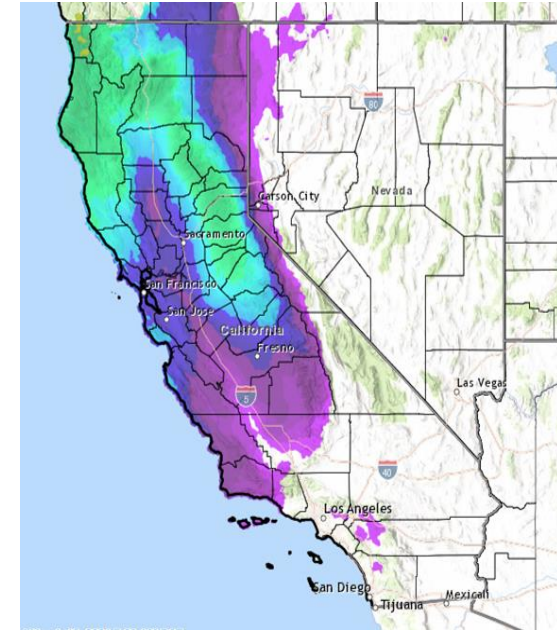
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**Friday**



**Saturday**



**Sunday**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**03/17/21 - 03/25/21**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (March 17 – March 21)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures are favored for the majority of the state

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for southern California, with above normal precipitation slightly favored for northern California

## **8-14 Day Outlook (March 19 – March 25)**

### **Temperatures**

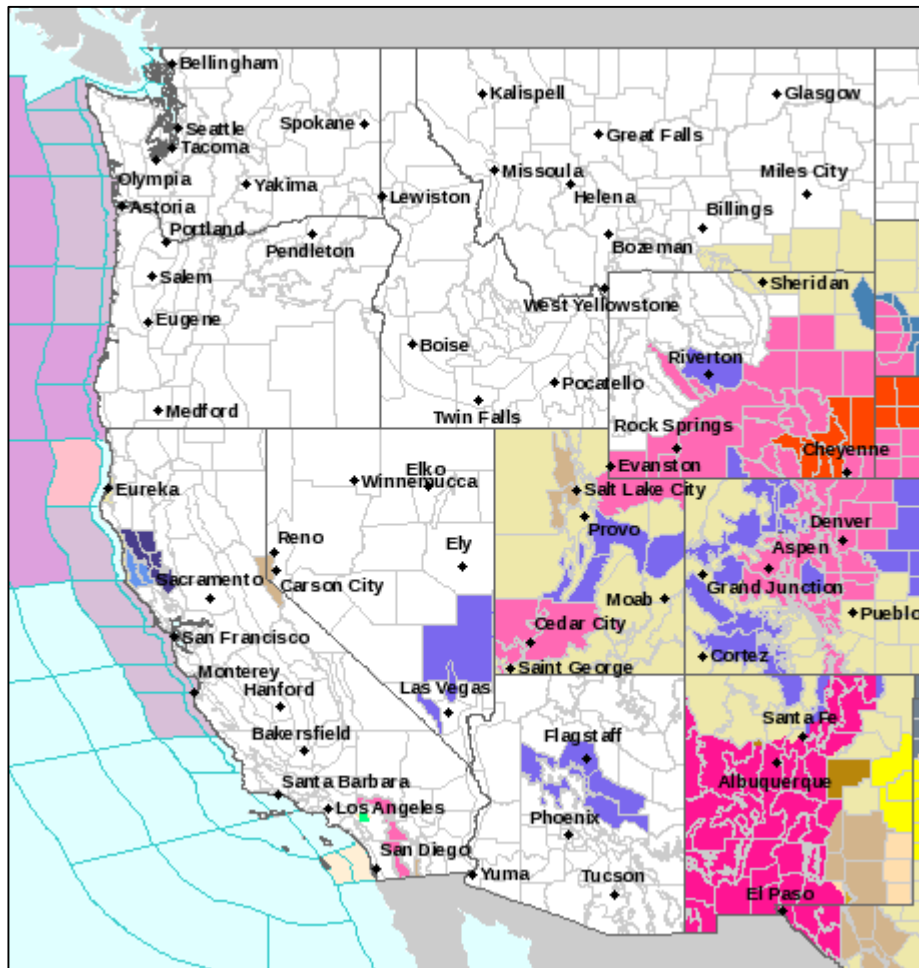
- Above normal temperatures are strongly favored for the entire state

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for central and southern California, with above normal precipitation slightly favored across far northern California



# WEATHER MAP



[Blizzard Warning](#)



[Winter Storm  
Warning](#)



[High Wind Warning](#)



[Tornado Watch](#)



[Gale Warning](#)



[Freeze Warning](#)



[Red Flag Warning](#)



[Winter Weather  
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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- Nothing significant to report.



# Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

## Cal OES Missions

- Nothing significant to report.



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